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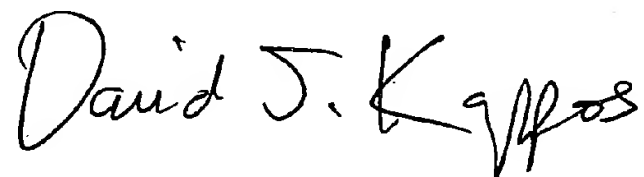
It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

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“Apr. 19, 1998 (JP) ....10-114005” should read --April 23, 1998 (JP) ....10-114005--

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